

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION IX

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Thomas Macchiarella BRAC Operations, Code 06CA.TM Department of the Navy, Southwest Division Naval Facilities Engineering Command 1230 Columbia Street, Suite 1100 San Diego, CA 92101

RE: Draft Time-Critical Removal Action Memorandum at CERCLA Site 9, Alameda Point

Dear Mr. Macchiarella:

EPA has reviewed the above referenced Action Memorandum dated August 12, 2004, and has no comments. We therefore concur with the Action Memorandum to mitigate the hazard presented by the floating product at Site 9.

Please call me at (415) 972-3029 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Anna-Marie Cook

Remedial Project Manager

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